Tori Kovarik's Poet Laureate Events

- Alexandria Earth Day Celebration (April 2013)
 - o reading of commissioned poem
- Alexandria's 264th Birthday Celebration (July 2013)
 - o reading of commissioned poem
- The Beautiful Ruins (December 2013)
 - o second published collection, including poetry and visual art
- Poetry Slam/Reading for Sexual Assault Awareness Month (April 2014)
 - o Participated in official capacity as Poet Laureate
- Poem in Your Pocket Day Reading at The Athenaeum (April 2014)
 - Participated in official capacity as Poet Laureate
- Reading and Q&A at Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Alexandria (June 2014)
- Alexandria's Youth Arts Festival (June 2014)
 - o Read poem
 - Ran poetry booth
- ACPS Poetry Competition Celebration (June 2014)
 - Served as Mistress of Ceremonies
- Solo reading at St. Elmo's Coffee Pub (June 2014)
- Freedmen and Contraband's Cemetery Memorial Dedication (September 2014)
 - Presented commissioned poem
- Banned Book Read Out at the Athenaeum (September 2014)
 - o Participated in official capacity as Poet Laureate
- Busboys and Poets Featured Poet (January 2015)
 - o Featured poet for an evening poetry reading/slam
- SWAN Celebration of Women Artists at the Athenaeum (March 2015)
 - o Participated by doing a poetry reading
- Poetry-themed Second Thursday Live at the Athenaeum (April 2015)
 - Hosted and read at National Poetry Month event
- Read poems at Transit Company Board Meeting (April 2015)
- Sexual Assault Awareness Month Poetry Slam at Busboys and Poets in Shirlington (April 2015)
 - Featured poet during the poetry slam
- Poetic Intersections (May 2015)
 - Host and participant in event to promote the discovery and joy of poetic language in all forms of writing (including poetry, fiction, nonfiction, song lyrics, etc.)
- Poetry judge for poetry contest in Arlington, VA (June 2015)
 - o Participated in official capacity of Poet Laureate of Alexandria
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- Host and participant in event to promote the discovery and joy of poetic language in all forms of writing (including poetry, fiction, nonfiction, song lyrics, etc.)
- Alexandria's 266th Birthday Celebration (July 2015)
 - o reading of commissioned poem
- Poem "Marigold Moon" published in *The Southampton Review* (July 2015)
- Keynote speaker at award ceremony for youth writing competition at Beatley Library, Alexandria, VA (October 2015)
- In the Company of Laureates at the Hylton Performing Arts Center (October 2015)
 - o Member of vision and planning team (beginning in August 2014)
 - o Participated in official capacity as Poet Laureate, representing Alexandria
 - o Participated in poetry reading and engaged attendees in dialogue in meet and greet
- Reading at Beatley Library, Alexandria, VA (January 2016)
- Reading at Durant Center, Alexandria, VA (March 2016)